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| Application Number | 09/255,222 |
| Filing Date | 02/22/99 |
| First Named Inventor | Williams et al. |
| Group Art Unit | 1724 |
| Examiner Name | Hruskoci |
| Attorney Docket Number | P2160/187847 |

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ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)

- ☒ Fee Transmittal Form
 - ☒ Fee Attached
- ☐ Amendment/Response
 - ☐ After Final
 - ☐ Affidavits/declaration(s)
- ☒ Extension of Time Request
- ☐ Express Abandonment Request
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
- ☐ Response to Missing Parts/Incomplete Application
 - ☐ Response to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53

- ☐ Assignment Papers (for an Application)
- ☐ Drawing(s)
- ☐ Licensing-related Papers
- ☐ Petition Routing Slip PTO/SB/69 and Accompanying Petition
- ☐ Petition to Convert a Provisional Application
- ☐ Power of Attorney, Revocation Change of Correspondence Address
- ☐ Terminal Disclaimer
- ☐ Small Entity Statement
- ☐ Request for Refund


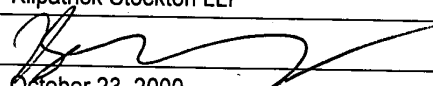
- ☐ After Allowance Communication to Group
- ☐ Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences
- ☒ Appeal Communication to Group (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief)
- ☐ Proprietary Information
- ☐ Status Letter
- ☒ Additional Enclosure(s) (Please identify below)

Request for Reconsideration Under 37 C.F.R. 1.111

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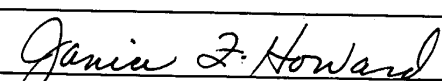
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**FEE TRANSMITTAL****for FY 2000**

Patent fees are subject to annual revision.
 Small Entity payments must be supported by a small entity
 statement, otherwise, large entity fees must be paid.

See 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.27 and 1.28 NOV 06 2000

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$)**Complete if Known**

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METHOD OF PAYMENT (check one)

1. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any over payments to:

Deposit
Account
Number
Deposit
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Name

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- ☒ Charge any Additional Fee Required Under
37 CFR. 1.16 and 1.17

- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27

2. ☒ Payment Enclosed:

☒ Check ☐ Credit Card ☐ Money Order ☐ Other

FEE CALCULATION**1. BASIC FILING FEE**

Large Entity Small Entity

| Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|------------------------|----------|
| 101 | 690 | 201 | 345 | Utility filing fee | |
| 106 | 310 | 206 | 155 | Design filing fee | |
| 107 | 480 | 207 | 240 | Plant filing fee | |
| 108 | 690 | 208 | 345 | Reissue filing fee | |
| 114 | 150 | 214 | 75 | Provisional filing fee | |

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)**2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES**

| | Extra Claims | Fee from below | Fee Paid |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------|---|------------------------|
| Total Claims | <input type="text"/> -20**= | <input type="text"/> x <input type="text"/> | = <input type="text"/> |
| Independent Claims | <input type="text"/> -3**= | <input type="text"/> x <input type="text"/> | = <input type="text"/> |
| Multiple Dependent Claims | <input type="text"/> | <input type="text"/> | <input type="text"/> |

** or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see below

Large Entity

Small Entity

| Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Description |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|---|
| 103 | 18 | 203 | 9 | Claims in excess of 20 |
| 102 | 78 | 202 | 39 | Independent claims in excess of 3 |
| 104 | 260 | 204 | 130 | Multiple dependent claim |
| 109 | 78 | 209 | 39 | **Reissue independent claims over original patent |
| 110 | 18 | 210 | 9 | **Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$)**FEE CALCULATION** (continued)**3. ADDITIONAL FEES**

| Large Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Small Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
|------------|-----------------|------------|-----------------|--|----------|
| 105 | 130 | 205 | 65 | Surcharge - late filing fee or oath | |
| 127 | 50 | 227 | 25 | Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet | |
| 139 | 130 | 139 | 130 | Non-English Specification | |
| 147 | 2,520 | 147 | 2,520 | For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination | |
| 112 | 920* | 112 | 920* | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action | |
| 113 | 1,840* | 113 | 1,840* | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action | |
| 115 | 110 | 215 | 55 | Extension for reply within first month | |
| 116 | 380 | 216 | 190 | Extension for reply within second month | 195. |
| 117 | 870 | 217 | 435 | Extension for reply within third month | |
| 118 | 1,360 | 218 | 680 | Extension for reply within fourth month | |
| 128 | 1,850 | 228 | 925 | Extension for reply within fifth month | |
| 119 | 300 | 219 | 150 | Notice of appeal | 155. |
| 120 | 300 | 220 | 150 | Filing a brief in support of an appeal | |
| 121 | 260 | 221 | 130 | Request for oral hearing | |
| 138 | 1,510 | 138 | 1,510 | Petition to institute a public use hearing | |
| 140 | 110 | 240 | 55 | Petition to revive unavoidable | |
| 141 | 1,210 | 241 | 605 | Petition to revive unintentional | |
| 142 | 1,210 | 242 | 605 | Utility issue fee (or reissue) | |
| 143 | 430 | 243 | 215 | Design issue fee | |
| 144 | 580 | 244 | 290 | Plant issue fee | |
| 122 | 130 | 120 | 130 | Petitions to the Commissioner | |
| 123 | 50 | 123 | 50 | Petitions related to provisional applications | |
| 126 | 240 | 126 | 240 | Submission of Information Disclosure Statement | |
| 581 | 40 | 581 | 40 | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) | |
| 146 | 690 | 246 | 345 | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a)) | |
| 149 | 690 | 249 | 345 | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b)) | |
| 179 | 690 | 279 | 345 | Request for Continued Examination (RCE) | |

Other fee (specify) _____

*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid **SUBTOTAL (3) (\$350.00)****SUBMITTED BY**

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